**WOOD OF BALTERLEY, STAFFS**
**WOOD OF UPPER TEAN IN CHECKLEY, STAFFS**

ARMS: *Or a lion rampant sable [VIS.CHESH.150 255] [WOOD 1]; *Argent a wolf rampant sable (1614) [WOOD 2]

CREST:

**John Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1333-**
(living) 1345-99
chn: John Wood below

**John Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1363-**
(living) 1373-1403
chn: William Wood below

**William Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1393-**
m Cecily .....; (a widow) 1468
(living) 1431
chn: Henry Wood below

**Henry Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1423-**
(living) 1460
chn: Humphrey Wood below

**Humphrey Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1453-**
m Joane dau of John Brooke of Cannock, Staffs
[? Will of Cannock (PCC) 1506]
(living) 1494
chn: Ralph Wood below

**Ralph Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1483-**
m Eleanor Ward of Tillington
chn: Humphrey Wood below
[?] Robert Wood [see JMORRIS 5:2692-7]
Maud Wood m George Woodnett of Shavington, Cheshire c1500-.... QV

**Humphrey Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1513-**
m Elizabeth dau of Thomas Rance
chn: Thomas Wood below

**Thomas Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1533-**
m Frances dau of John Dod of Chomley, Cheshire
chn: Henry Wood below
Humphrey Wood
George Wood
Ralph Wood

**Henry Wood of Cannock, Staffs gentleman c1573-**
m Ann dau of Richard Colton of Staffs
(of Balterley); (living) 1614 [VIS]; (not present at coronation of Charles I and later fined £10 for knighthood) 2 Feb 1625.6
chn: Ralph Wood [1] b c1603; (aged 11) 1614
Richard Wood [2]
Mary Wood
Ann Wood
Jane Wood

[? KINSMAN OF]

..... Wood of Upper Tean in Checkley, Staffs
1680 [PLOT µ218]

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..... Wood of Balterley, Staffs
m ..... .....
(his ?widow, as Mrs Wood, 6 hearths, Balterley) 1666 HT

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[? KINSMEN OF]

..... Wood c1490-
chn: Thomas Wood below
George Wood below
[???]
.[dau]. Wood [coheir] m Edward Whitterings; (and had chn: William)
.[dau]. Wood [coheir] m Thomas Smith; (and had chn: Ralph)
.[dau]. Wood [coheir] m Robert Lawton; (and had chn: Thomas)
.[dau]. Wood [coheir] m Ralph Alfeger; (and had chn: Robert)
.[dau]. Wood [coheir] m Robert Brown; (and had chn: William)

Thomas Wood of Balterley, Staffs c1525-a1558
Will (PCC) 1558 as gent. of Balterley and London

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George Wood of Balterley, Staffs Esquire c1528-?1558
m Margaret Grosvenor dau of Richard Grosvenor of Eaton, Cheshire c1489-1542 QV;
m1 Ralph Becket [? NOT Birkenhead] of Croton [? Trowton], Cheshire; (and had chn: Elizabeth m George Ireland, Margery m Henry Eccleston; Mary m ..... Leton of Leton); m3 John Molyneux of The Wood, Lancs
[? Will (PCC) 1558 as Esquire held land in Balterley, Cheshire, Derbyshire and Flint]
(Justice of Chester)
chn: Mary Wood [heir] m William Lawton of Lawton, Cheshire c1553-1617 QV; (but had no chn); d 7 Apr 1604

The above Mary was niece of Thomas Wood, esq. from whom these lands descended. Mary Lawton, 7 Apr, 1704 [recte 1604], died seised of Balterley Hall, and other lands in Betley and Cheshire. It descended to coheirs; viz. William, son of Edward Whitterings; Ralph, son of Thomas Smith; Thomas, son of Robert Lawton; Robert, son of Ralph Alfeger; and William, son of Robert Browne. Lawton is still in the same name; so that Lawton, who married a coheir, may have trasmitted it to his descendants. Degge. [ERDESWICK (1844) 107a]

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*1614/64; *1664/1700 CHECK: JMORRIS 5:2692-7

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**WOOD OF KEELE, STAFFS**

ARMS:

CREST:

John Wood of Keele, Staffs c1398-?1443
d ?1443
(sued Richard Sneyd for debt) 1425; (M.P., Newcastle) 1425 1427-8 1431 1432 1433; (Escheator, Staffs) 1437-8
chn: John Wood [1] below
Elizabeth Wood m 1447 Robert Boughey of Whitmore, Staffs c1423-.... QV

John Wood of Keele, Staffs c1428-
**** Easily confused with John Wood (M.P., Sussex) (Speaker 1483)*
m Eleanor .....
(Mayor, Newcastle) 1458; [? (Master of the Ordnance)]; (J.P., Staffs) 1465-74; (in right of his wife Eleanor, presented Edmund Wood as Rector of Swynnerton) 1464 [SHC 1886 ii 62]; (M.P., Newcastle) 1472-5

[? FATHER OF]

Robert Wood of Keele, Staffs gentleman c1458-
m Alice .....; c1532 FAS
(as of Keele gentleman, pardoned) c1509
(living with son Edward) c1532 FAS
chn: Edward Wood below
Annes Wood m Ralph Brett of Dimsdale in Wolstanton, Staffs c1473-.... QV

Edward Wood of Keele, Staffs gentleman c1488-
(as Mester, of Keele, 1st family listed [DEFECTIVE ENTRY]) c1532 FAS

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**WOOD OF SHINEWOOD IN SHEINTON, SALOP**

ARMS: Gules three demi-wildmen affronte argent each holding in the hands a club or [WOOD 3]

CREST:

Lawrence Wood of Helby OR Holly Hall, Yorks c1448-
m Joan Yonge dau of Sir Philip Yonge of Caynton, Salop Knight c1420-....
[VIS.SALOP.1623 518]
chn: Alexander Wood [2 OR 3] b c1482 below

Alexander Wood of Shinewood in Sheinton, Salop c1482-a1546
m Joan .....; 1546 E hw
i Sheinton; Will (Lichfield) ...../2 Jul 1546
(of Shinewood) a1525
chn: Peter Wood [1] 1548 E bw
William Wood [2] Will (Lichfield) 1548; (of Shinewood in Sheinton, Salop)
John Wood [3]
Rowland Wood [4]
Eleanor Wood m John Persehouse of Hurst Hill in Sedgley, Staffs c1491-.... QV

**Peter Wood of Shinewood in Sheinton, Salop c1512-?1572**
m Felice Warham dau of Henry Warham of Cheshire
d ?1572
(of Shinewood) a1546-1572
chn: Alexander Wood [1] below
Henry Wood [2] (M.D.) [BLG] [VIS.SALOP.1623 510]
William Wood [3] [? (of Much Wenlock, Salop) 1588-9] [TSAS 1894 II 232]
Edward Wood [4] m Margaret Barnfield dau of Robert Barnfield [? (of Newport, Salop) c1514-.... QV]; (but had no chn)
Thomas Wood [5] (had no chn)
Richard Wood [6] (had no chn)

**Alexander Wood of Shinewood in Sheinton, Salop c1542-a1614**
m1 Elizabeth Onslow dau of Edward Onslow of Onslow, Salop c1513-.... QV; i Alberbury
m2 29 Jul 1577 Elizabeth Jennings dau of Thomas Jennings of Walliborne in Church Pulverbatch, Salop
Will (...) 5 May 1613/6 Jun 1614
(of White ALIAS Black Abbey, Salop)
(as son and heir of Peter W., adm. Middle Temple) 3 Nov 1560 [MT]
chn: Joan Wood c 20 Mar 1574.5
[?] Mary Wood m Richard Heylin
[2] Peter Wood [1] b c1578 below
Richard Wood [-] (had no chn)
Basil Wood [3] (LL.D.); (Fellow, All Souls, Oxford); (Chancellor, Rochester); (Royalist) [see BLG] [see YORKS.PED]
William Wood [-] (had no chn)
Cecily Wood [1] m Richard Persehouse of Shrewsbury c1571-.... QV
Felice Wood [2] m Edmund Gittins of Aston Rogers, Salop
Milburga Wood [3] m John Reynolds of Dagenham, Essex

**Peter Wood of Shinewood in Sheinton, Salop c1578-1658**

m1 Judith Heath dau of John Heath of Orton (?Overton), Cheshire; m1 Lancelot Lacon; i 27 Aug 1624 .....
m2 Frances Astley 7th dau of Thomas Astley of Patshull, Staffs c1560-1632 QV
d 1658
(of White ALIAS Black Abbey, Salop)
(Sheriff, Salop) 1640
chn: Mary Wood [1] b c1608; (aged 15) 1623; m1 20 Apr 1626 Richard Yonge of Bishops Castle, Salop; m2 John Poole of Criggion
Eleanor Wood [2] b c1610; (aged 13) 1623; m Edward Kempson of Bilston, Staffs c1605-1672 QV
Dorothy Wood [3] b c1611; (aged 12) 1623; m John Gregory of Rodington, Salop c1606-.... [VIS.SALOP.1623 205]
Alexander Wood [1] b c1615; (aged 8) 1623 below
Priscilla Wood [4] b c1617; (aged 6) 1623; i 10 Jan 1635
Ann Wood [5] c 28 Dec 1618? .....; (aged 5) 1623; m Cadwallader Griffiths of Boyhey, Montgoms
Henry Wood [2] c 30 Jun 1619 .....; (aged 4) 1623; (of Westbury, Salop)
Elizabeth Wood [6] c 13 May 1621 .....; (afe 3) 1623; m Griffith Griffiths of Welshpool
Teresa Wood [7] (aged 1) 1623
[2] Walter Wood [3] b c1625
Basil Wood [4] b c1626
Peter Wood [5] b c1627 Will (...) ...../1677; (of Shinewood)
Thomas Wood [6] c 15 Jul 1628 .....
Mary Wood [8] c 7 Dec 1629 .....
Catherine Wood [9] c 30 Nov 1631 .....
Edward Wood [7] c 12 Sep 1633 .....; m Clare Berington dau of William Berington of Moat Hall, Salop
Magdalen Wood [10] c 22 Sep 1636 .....
Anna Wood [11] c 4 Jun 1639 .....

Alexander Wood of Shinewood in Sheinton, Salop c1615-1672
m1 Margery OR Mary Astley dau of Walter Astley of Patshull, Staffs c1590-1656 QV; i 29 Nov 1666 .....
m2 5 Feb 1666.7 Pontesbury: Frances Adams dau of William Adams of Longdon, Salop c1609-.... [VIS.SALOP.1623 13]
d Sep 1672; Will of London citizen (...) 12 Apr 1672/.....
(of White ALIAS Black Abbey, Salop)
(aged 8) 1623
chn: Grace Wood [1] c 13 Mar 1646.7
Peter Wood [1] c 10 Mar 1647.8; d young
Judith Wood [2] c 12 Aug 1649
Mary Wood [3] c 28 Dec 1651
Peter Wood [2] c 16 Dec 1653; i 28 May 1672
Ann Wood [4] i 30 Nov 1654? Alberbury [? SAME AS NEXT]
Ann Wood [5] c 26 Nov 1655?
Dorothy Wood [6] c 26 Nov 1656
Basil Wood [3] c 29 Nov 1658; (of White Abbey and Shrewsbury) [see BLG]
Francis Wood [4] c 30 Jul 1660
Laurence Wood [5] b c1661; (living) 1672
Alexander Wood [6] c 26 Nov 1662; (of London citizen) [see BLG]
Eleanor Wood [7] c 10 Dec 1663
[2] Charles Wood [7] b White Abbey; c 8 Sep 1667 [see BLG]
Elizabeth Wood [8] c 2 Sep 1669

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BLG 1914; TSAS 1894 II 232; YORKS.PED; VIS.SALOP.1623 510-1

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**WOOD OF LICHFIELD, STAFFS**
**WOOD BISHOP OF LICHFIELD**

ARMS:

CREST:

**..... Wood c1535-**
chn: Thomas Wood below
Henry Wood m ..... .....; (and had chn: Edward, Francis); (? then dead, with sons) ?1649 w (of nephew Henry)

**Thomas Wood of Hackney, Middx gentleman c1565-1649**
b Yorks
m Susan Cranmer dau of ..... Cranmer of London merchant; b c1570; d *aged 80*; i 17 Oct 1650 Hackney, M.I.
d *aged 84*; i 16 May 1649 Hackney; M.I.
(of Whitehall); (Serjeant of the Pastry, Charles I); (Clerk of the Spicery, James)
chn: Henry Wood [1] b c1605 below
John Wood [2] (of London citizen)
Thomas Wood [3] b c1607 Hackney; (aged 85) 1692 below
William Wood [4] (clerk of the Spicery)
Joan Wood
Dorothy Wood
Mary Wood m1 Samuel Cranmer of London (Alderman) c1590-1640 QV; (and had chn); m2 Sir Henry Chester of Litlington, Beds K.B. ....-.... [LE NEVE 16]; (but had no chn); i Astwood, Bucks [will]; Will (...) 2 Oct 1676/.....
Elizabeth Wood m Anthony Webb; (and had chn: Thomas, Henry)

**Sir Henry Wood of Loudham, Suffolk Knight c1605-c1671**
m Caroline Gardiner dau of Sir Thomas Gardiner of Cuddesdon, Oxon Knight (Recorder of London) c1586-.... [LE NEVE 94-5]
d c1671; i Ufford, Suffolk; Will (...) 24 May 1671/.....
(Clerk of the Green Cloth, Charles II)
chn: Mary Wood m c1671 Charles Fitzroy ... Duke of Southampton ....-.... [..] (illeg. son of Charles II and Barbara (Villiers)) 1662-1730 [DNB]; (but had no chn); d Nov 1680

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**Thomas Wood (Bishop of Lichfield) c1607-1692**
b c1607 Hackney
m ..... .....; (but had no chn); (living) 1690
d 18 Apr 1692 aged 85 Astrup-Wells, Northants; i Ufford, Suffolk; M.I. [NONE]; Will (...) 11 Nov 1690/.....
(educ. Westminster); (matric. Christ Church, Oxford) 1627; (B.A.) 27 Apr 1631; (M.A.) 24 Apr 1634; (Chaplain in Ordinary, Charles I) 1635; (Rector, Whickham, Durham) 1635-; (M.A. incorp. Cambridge) 1638; (B.D.) 15 May 1641; (D.D.) 13 Mar 1641.2; (Canon, Durham) 1660; (Chaplain, Charles II) 1660; (Dean, Lichfield) Feb 1663.4-71; (Bishop of Coventry & Lichfield) 2 Jul 1671-?d; (Non-resident lived at Hackney in the house in which he was born); (J.P., Staffs) 1680 ; (suspended for non-residence by Archbishop Sancroft) ?1692 [SHAW I 276 288] [and see BISHOPS OF LICHFIELD] [SIMMS]

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[? A RELATION]

Edward Wood of Tamworth, Staffs
chn: Susanna Wood m John Sing OR Synge of Bridgnorth, Salop

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*1664/1700; LE NEVE 327 374

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## WOOD OF UTTOXETER, STAFFS

ARMS: Sable on a bend argent three fleur-de-lis sable (1664 respited) [WOOD 4]

CREST: A wolfs head erased sable collared or langued gules

William Wood of Uttoxeter, Staffs c1589-a1647

m ..... Chapman
d c1642 [VIS]; Will (PCC) 13 Nov 1647
("Paid to them that swept Mr. Wood's hall for King Charles the first - one shilling" Uttoxeter Churchwarden's Accounts 1642) [SHC 1925 212]; (fined for Sheriff of London); (of London citizen and salter); (justice Wood; Mr. Miner' seat, and the half of the manor of Uttoxeter) [ERDESWICK (1844) lvii]
chn: James Wood b c1619; (aged 45) 1664 below
Elizabeth Wood m John Greaves of Greaves, Derbys c1607-1673 [VIS.DERBYS.1662] [JDANHS 1923 38]
Mary Wood m Robert Greaves (of Greaves, Derbys) c1614-.... [VIS.DERBYS.1662]

Agard's seat [Newborough] was sold by his daughter and heir, who married Smith, of Derbys, to William Wood, a citizen and salter, of London, whose son, James Wood, of Uttoxeter, enjoyed it. [ERDESWICK (1844) 275a]

James Wood of Uttoxeter, Staffs c1619-
m Mary Pyott dau of Richard Pyott of Streethay in Lichfield, Staffs 1588-1669 QV
(J.P., Staffs) 19 Jun 1649-....; (aged 45, John Allen certified Visitation for him) 29 Apr 1664; (as Mr, 11 hearths, Uttoxeter) 1666 HT
chn: James Wood [1] b c1653; (aged 11) 1664 below
William Wood [2]
John Wood [3]
Josias Wood [4]
Mary Wood [1] m Ralph Gilbert of Uttoxeter, Staffs c1650-.... QV
Elizabeth Wood [2] m ..... .....
Ann Wood [3]

James Wood (of Uttoxeter, Staffs) Esquire c1653-
m Elizabeth Bennet dau of Gervase Bennet of Snelston, Derbys c1612-.... [VIS.DERBYS.1662]; b cFeb 1662; (aged 18m) 11 Aug 1662 [VIS.DERBYS.1662 50]
(aged 11) 1664; (J.P., Staffs) 29 Feb 1692-....; (as a Staffordshire Land Tax Commissioner had an annual income from land of œ100 or more) *1702; [? (Sheriff, Staffs) 1707-8]

Will of Ralph Gent of Uttoxeter Proved 22nd April, 1714 Administration to James Wood and William Parker. Memorandum of what Ralph Gent of Uttoxeter did declare he would have done after his decease. He humbly desireth that his master James Wood Esq. see him decently brought home and buried and his master has œ7 10s 0d of his in his hands which he gives to his master's children. To Elizabeth Wood his best pair of flaxen sheets and madame Joane Gray the next pair. Effects œ12 14s 0d.

Ralph Wood of Uttoxeter, Staffs
Will (PCC) 26 Jun 1776

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*1614/64 *1664/1700

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**WOOD OF WOLVERHAMPTON, STAFFS**

ARMS:

CREST:

**Henry Wood of Wolverhampton, Staffs gentleman c1636-**
chn: Henry Wood below

**Henry Wood c1666-1718** **1693-1718**
b c1666 Wolverhampton *son of Henry Wood of Wolverhampton, Staffs gentleman c1636-....*
m Judith .....; [? i *from Wolverhampton* 19 May 1742 Aldridge*]*
i 8 OR 27 Sep 1718 Aldridge
(aged 16, matriculated from Pembroke, Oxford) 19 Mar 1682
(B.A.) 1686
(M.A.) 1689
(Chaplain, Magdalen College, Oxford) 1690-3

**(Rector, Aldridge-cum-Great Barr, Staffs)** 26 Jan 1692.3
- (presented by Thomas Scott gentleman *pro* Thomas Dolman junior (a minor)
- (admitted) 26 Jan 1692.3
(**Prebendary, Lichfield Ufton Decani**) 20 Sep 1700-d
- (collated) 20 Sep 1700 [B/A/1/19 p8]
(Canon, Lichfield)
**(Sacrist, Wolverhampton St Peter, Staffs)**
- (in office) 1702 [for 1702.3?] [OLIVER 82]
(Vicar, Wellington, Salop) 1709
chn: Elizabeth Wood c 12 Jun 1695 Aldridge
Henry Wood c 10 Jul 1696 Aldridge; d ? *young*
Dorothy Wood c Aug 1697 Aldridge; m Edward Tongue
Christopher Wood c 3 Oct 1698 Aldridge below
Henry Wood c 13 May 1700 Aldridge
John Wood c 12 Jul 1701 Aldridge

*(1694) Release from Henry Wood of Aldridge, clerk to George Wilson of Walsall, coppersmith for £106, purchase price of house, shop, barn and garden in High Street, Walsall ..... [NATIONAL ARCHIVES]*

**Christopher Wood of Norton-under-Cannock, Staffs 1698-....**
c 3 Oct 1698 Aldridge
(by purchase from ..... Hanbury, lord of 2/3rds Norton-under-Cannock)
(acquired Ogley Hay) [ERDESWICK (1844) 301]

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George Wood of Adderley Green in Caverswall, Staffs
Here lieth ye body of George Wood of Adderley Green gent who departed this life the 19th day of Sept anno dmi 1722. Aetat:24. [Caverswall]

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**WOOD OF NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME, STAFFS**

ARMS:

CREST:

Thomas of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs c1620-....
(adm. Clement's Inn, pledged by Mr Humfry Walker) 1660
(as Mr., 12 hearths, Newcastle-under-Lyme) 1666 HT
chn: Mercy Wood m 11 OR 13 Apr 1672 Newcastle-under-Lyme: Samuel Fernihaugh of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs c1643-1676 QV

Thomas of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs c1650-....
(as junior, adm. Clement's Inn, pledged by Thomas Wood) 1670

..... Wood of Newcastle-under-Lyme, Staffs c1633-
m ? Ann Rudyard dau of Anthony Rudyard of Dieulacres Abbey in Leek, Staffs gentleman c1607-.... QV; c 28 Feb 1637.8 Leek;

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WOOD OF COLWICH, STAFFS

ARMS:

CREST:

The oldest charity is that of Thomas Crompton of Moreton who in 1659 bequeathed land, 12½ acres in all, at Ravenhill to provide funds for the poor. This is where Raven Hill Primary School, Rugeley, and the housing estate are now situated. Thomas married Jocose Boughie on 11th January 1624 and their grand daughter's husband, Gabriel Wood, also bequeathed œ50 for land in 1706 [INTERNET]

Gabriel Wood of Colwich, Staffs gentleman c1662-1706
m 30 Nov 1692 Colwich: Isabel Crompton dau of ..... Crompton of Moreton in Colwich, Staffs

c1630-.... QV
d 1706; i Colwich; M.I.; Will (...) 1706

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**WOOD OF CODSALL, STAFFS**

ARMS:

CREST:

**Edward Wood of Codsall, Staffs "gentleman" ??**
(not present at coronation of Charles I and later fined £10 for knighthood) 2 Feb 1625.6

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